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Dear Joshua,

I ended my work as Assistant Director General for Science at Unesco on 31 December 1972. As I think I told you, I have been working for the last two years on the preparation of a book, which will be jointly published by Unesco and commercial publishers, and I am sending you the Synopsis under separate cover, by airmail.

As I know you have been thinking a lot about problems concerning the interactions between science, technology and society, I wondered if you could let me have your recent writings on the subject. I think that Michael Lerner once told me that you had surveyed the times in history when there have been "anti-science" movements. Also, any other suggestions, or valuable papers, that you can send me would be welcome. Of course, I have been reading a lot myself and have collected a great deal of useful information. I hope to be able to come and discuss these matters with you once the manuscript is finished, that is, after the end of March.

Thank you very much for your co-operation.

Please convey my warmest greetings to Luca and all other local friends.

With best wishes,

Cordially,

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